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WHEREAS, We, Moungi G. Bawendi of Boston, Massachusetts; Frederick V. Mikulec of Somerville, Massachusetts; and Vikram C. Sundar of Somerville, Massachusetts having invented a certain improvement in a BIOLOGICAL APPLICATIONS OF QUANTUM DOTS for which We have made application for a United States Patent, said application filed on September 24, 1998, and having a United States Serial No. 09/160,454;

WHEREAS, Massachusetts Institute of Technology a non-profit educational institution having offices at 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02142 and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledge, I do hereby sell assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said Applications and all patents which may granted therefore, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part and extensions thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of my entire right, title and interest.

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